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FOR: TORQUE DISTRIBUTION
CONTROL DEVICE FOR FOUR-WHEEL
DRIVE VEHICLE

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 25 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 29 of this paper.